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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2177
Docket No.: 1046.1204

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hidehisa WAKAMATSU, et al.

Serial No. 09/451,446

Group Art Unit: 2177

Confirmation No. 9077

Filed: November 30, 1999

Examiner: Cheryl Renea Lewis

For: INFORMATION PROVIDING SERVER

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 15, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on April 15, 2004.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.	1046.1204
Application Number	09/451,446
Filing Date	November 30, 1999
First Named Inventor	Hidehisa WAKAMATSU, et al.
Group Art Unit	2177
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	122.00
Examiner Name	Cheryl Renea Lewis

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	37	- 35 =	2	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 36.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	17	- 16 =	1	X \$ 86.00 =	86.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of April 15, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010));

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Total of above Calculations =

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TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 122.00

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Deposit Account Name	STAAS & HALSEY LLP
- The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Gene M. Garner II	Reg. No.	34,172
Signature		Date	April 15, 2004

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